GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SURFACE TRANSPORT
LOK SABHA

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PLAN FOR MOBILISATION OF HUGE RESOURCES FOR NATIONAL HIGHWAY
ANANTRAO GUDHE

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have drawn out a plan for mobilisation of huge resources recognised for proposed National Highways Development projects during the current year and Ninth Plan period;

(b) if so, the details of the projects launched with estimated provision of funds and physical targets set in general and for projects in Maharashtra, State-wise and project-wise during 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 and the Ninth Plan period; and

(c) the details of the action plan drawn for the current year-project-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) & (c) Thirty-Eight projects on National Highway Development Project covering a length of 1,088 km are under implementation at a cost of approximately Rs.4,400 crores. Of these, three projects covering a length of 117 km at an estimated cost of Rs.448 crores are under implementation by the Central Government in the State of Maharashtra. The Golden Quadrilateral component (5,952 km length) of National Highway Development Project covering 13,250 km will be completed by 2003 and the entire project by 2009.